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ABSTRACT

The enrollment of minority students at Catonsville Community College (CCC) generally followed the same pattern of decline and growth as the student population as a whole between fall 1984 and fall 1989. Minority enrollments increased by 1.5% from fall 1984 to fall 1985, decreased by 12.2% in fall 1986, increased by 5.8% in fall 1987, and increased by 8.7% in fall 1988. Throughout this five-year period, minority students made up between 24% and 26% of the total headcount, with more females than males enrolling each year. In fall 1988, 77% of the 2,481 minority students attending CCC resided in Baltimore City or Baltimore County, and 75% were black. The bulk of the report consists of charts and graphs illustrating enrollment trends. (AYC)

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MINORITY ENROLLMENT TREND Catonsville Community College Fall 1984 - Fall 1988

The enrollment of minority students during the fall semesters of the last five years has generally followed the same pattern of decline and growth as that of the total headcount enrollment of the College while comprising a range of from 24% to 26% of the total throughout that period. This stability in the proportion of the student body made up of racial and ethnic minorities can be seen in the first two graphs "Minority Enrollment - Headcount" and "Minority Enrollment as Percent of Total Headcount."

While stability and overall patterns are evident, it is also clear that minority enrollment has increased steadily since the fall of 1986 after a dip from Fall 85 to Fall 86.

Percent Change from Previous Fall

Fall 85	+1.5%	
Fall 86	-12.2%	
Fall 87	+5.8%	
Fall 88	+8.7%	(see graph)



By the fall of 1988 the number of credit minority students reached a high at 2481 for this period from the fall of 1984 to the fall of 1988.

When minority enrollment is broken down by gender, it can be seen that there have been more female minority students than males each year (see graph).

Minority	y En:	r. 011	ment

		Male	Female
Fall	84	1100	1318
Fall	85	1104	1354
fall	86	1014	1146
Fall	87	1042	1237
Fall	88	1152	1330

The changes are most pronounced from 1985 to 1986 because of the drop, but steady growth has occurred since. It is important to remember that the largest drop in overall enrollment during this period occurred from the fall of 1985 to the fall of 1986 also.

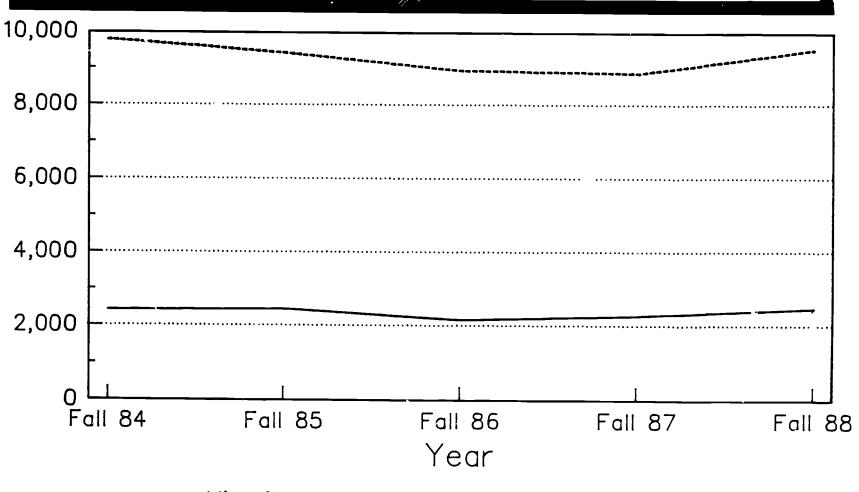


The last two graphs display minority enrollment patterns for the fall of 1988: place of residence with Baltimore County and Baltimore City providing 77% of all minority students and ethnic breakdown indicating that blacks comprise 75% of the minorities enrolled at Catonsville Community College.

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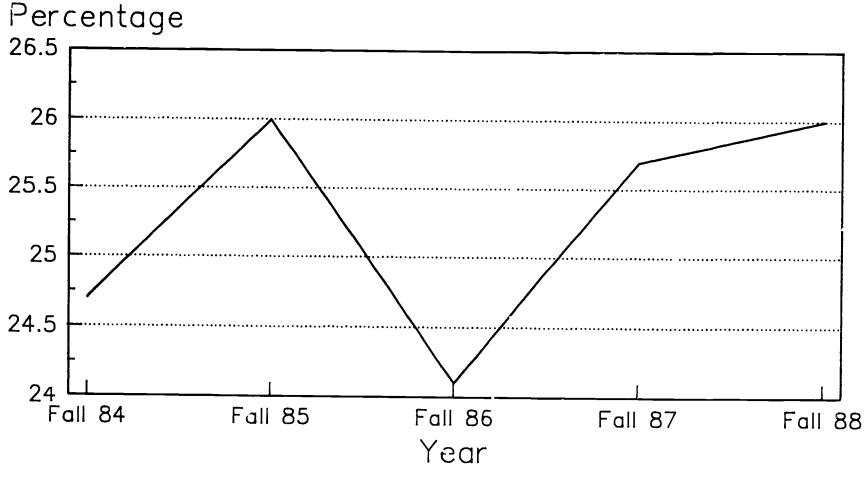
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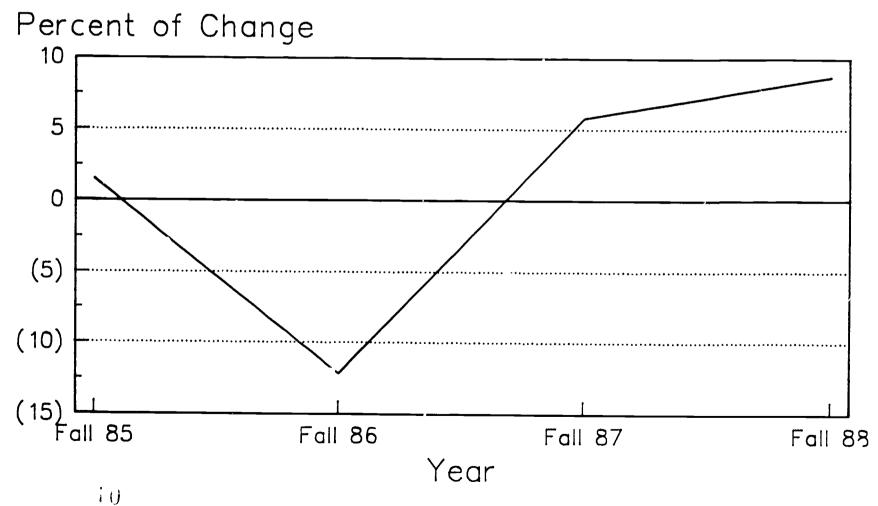
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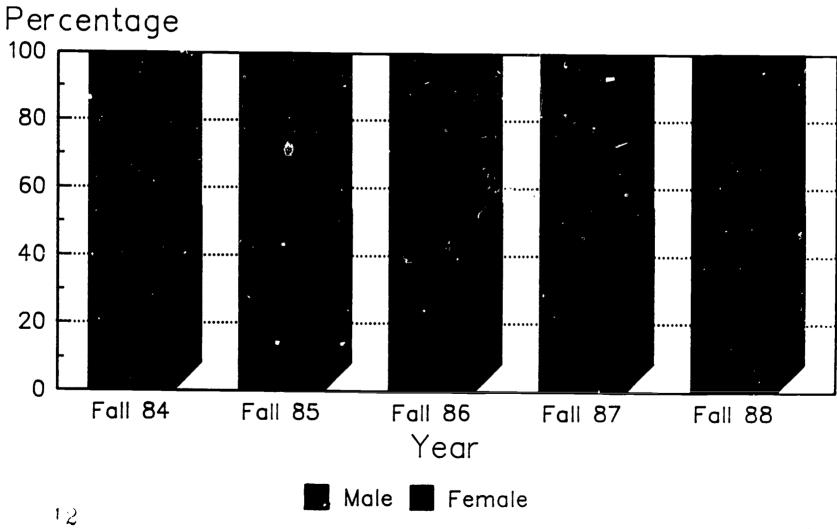
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Percent Change from Previous Fall in Minority Enrollment Catonsville Community College





Percent of Total Black Enrollment Catonsville Community College





Percent of Change in Minority Enrollment Catonsville Community College Male Enrollment

Percent of Change

15

10

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(10)
Fall 85

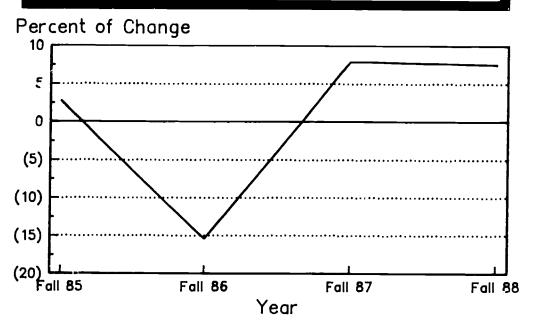
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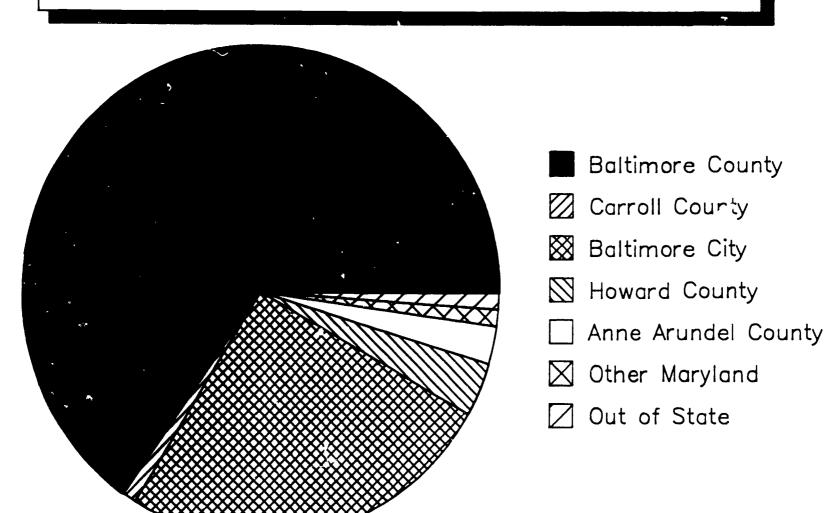
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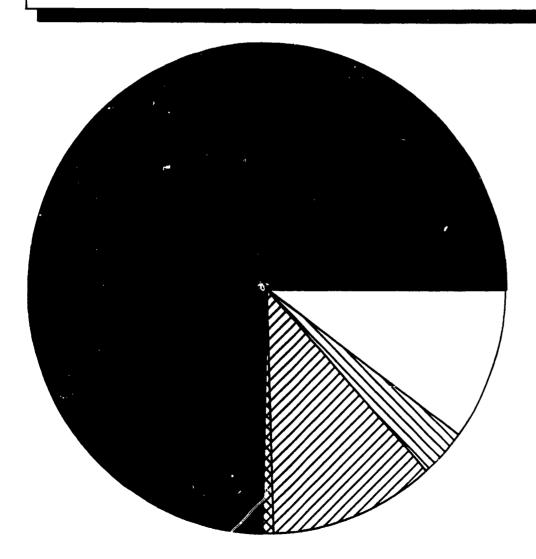


Minority Residence — Fall 88 Catonsville Community College





Minority Enrollment — Fall 88 Catonsville Community College



- Black
- Asian American
- Spanish Surnamed
- Other